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EIGHT PAGES.
NEARLY CAUSED A RIO

Terrific Rush to Swear Off Personal Taxes This Morning.

**Windows Smashed as Men Too
Raved and Cursed Each Other.**

**The Police Sent for to Keep
Crowd in Order.**

In their eagerness to reach the Commissioners men pushed and crowded and the

In the rush the windows of the glass co- were smashed, and there was danger i- the crowd would tear the doors from hinges in the mad attempt to f- their way. To prevent trouble and a po-

Respectable looking men, who would taken for well-bred and rational beings, and raved, and cursed each other and the bad luck. The lack of elbow room probably prevented several fist fights.

ments, and those who waited till the last minute and got left have blamed themselves to blame, the Tax Commission says, as prompt notice was given that April 30 the personal tax books would close.

Last year, also, several hundred cases were behind time, and a similar scene in Commissioners' office was witnessed.

When the doors of the Tax Department

All those within the building at 12 o'clock were permitted to swear off. And only those who were not within the gates at that time got left.

Next week and until May 31 corporate and owners of real estate who desire to have their assessments reduced will be given hearing.

WASHINGTON'S INAUGURATION

While Americans are celebrating the achievement of Columbus, the anniversary of the inauguration of George Washington first President of the United States has been forgotten. It will be celebrated in

Washington Continental Guard, High Guard de La Fayette, Veteran Zouave, Washington Light Infantry, four posts of G. A. R., A. S. Williams Camp Sons of Veterans, Jeffersonian Pioneer Corps, George's Battalion, L. O. A. of A., C. Harrison, A. O. F. of A.

The line will move at 3 P. M. from Wall to Nassau streets and will march over the ground as Gen. Washington did on his way to St. Paul's church after the inauguration. The church Rev. W. M. Grier will conduct the service.

NEW MARINE BANK REFEREE

Counsellor R. H. Lalmbeer, jr., representing Josiah Blossom, one of the assignees of the Marine Bank of New York, petitioned Justice Barlett in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, this morning to appoint a new referee in place of Don A. Hewlett.

The Marine Bank is the institution the re-
turn of which embarrassed Gen. Grant so
seriously some years ago.

Mr. Hewlett is physically incapacitated
continue the duties of a referee.

Justice Bartlett said he would appoint
Rufus L. Scott as Mr. Hewlett's successor.

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CYCLONE AT DECATUR, ILL.

Storm Said to Have Burst Between 3 and 4 O'Clock This Morning.
ST. LOUIS, April 29.—It is reported here that a cyclone struck Decatur, Ill., this morning.

Editor Bell Can't Get Bail.
LONG ISLAND CITY, L. I., April 29.—Mr. Edward Bell, ex-Congressional minister and editor of The Queens County Republican, who was arrested yesterday for criminal libel on complaint of Mrs. John W. Lee, wife of the editor of The Queens County Herald, a rival

Gambler Held in Heavy Bail.
Frank Fay, the shell game operator who
buncoed John McKeon out of \$40 on the
S. Wood excursion boat on Thursday,
is held in the Yorkville Court this morning
answer in \$2,500 bail on a charge of swindling.

\$21 for Loss of Shoulder Cap.
Matteawan, N. Y., April 28.—J. M. L. Brown
is jammed between car-couplers. The N. Y. Sun
Press paid him \$21 because he was disabled 2 weeks.